



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hiroshi KIGUCHI et al.

Application No.: 09/111,482

Filed: July 8, 1998

COMPOSITION FOR AN ORGANIC EL ELEMENT AND METHOD OF

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

For:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 6, 19 and 24 as follows:

Claim 6, line 2, change "precursor of the conjugated organic polymer" to --polallylene vinylene precursor--.

Claim 19, line 3, change "luminescent" to --fluorescent--.

Claim 24, line 2, change "any one of claims" to --claim--.

REMARKS

Claims 1-31 are pending. By this Preliminary Amendment, claims 6, 19 and 24 are amended to correct minor typographical errors. Prompt and favorable examination on the merits is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted.

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